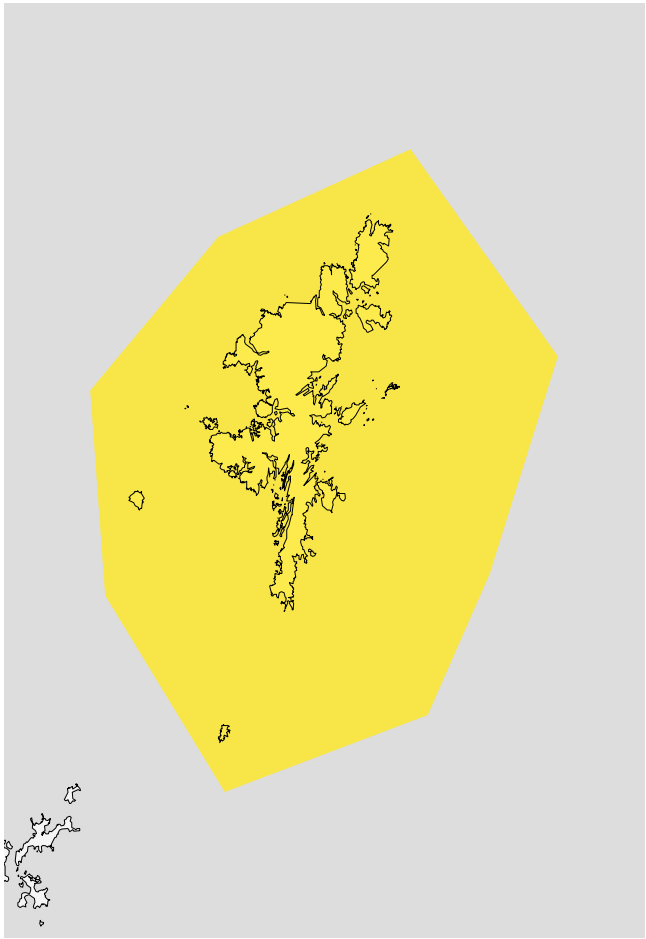
Yellow warning
Wind

Between
17:00 Mon 31 Dec 2018 and
05:00 Tue 1 Jan 2019



Very windy later on Monday, especially Monday evening when gusts 60 to 70 mph expected.

What to expect

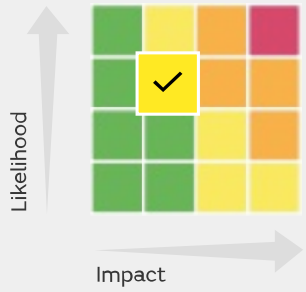
- Some delays to road, air and ferry transport are likely with some journeys taking longer.
- Some short term loss of power and other services is possible.
- It's likely that some coastal routes, sea fronts and coastal communities affected by spray and/or large waves.

Further details

Gale to severe gale force westerly winds will develop over Shetland from Monday late afternoon.

During Monday evening, gusts are expected to reach 60 to 70 mph, perhaps coming close to 75 mph in a few places, with the highest winds probably occurring during mid to late evening.

Wind will then veer northwesterly and very slowly start to ease during the early hours of New Year's Day.



Medium likelihood of low impacts

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